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**REQUEST TO APPROVE DRAWING CHANGES**

Sir:

Enclosed is photocopy of Figure 7 of the drawings with proposed changes indicated in red ink. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner approve the proposed changes.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Formal drawings (7 Sheets) for the above-identified application are enclosed. Please charge any fees associated with the review and acceptance of these drawings to Xerox Corporation, Deposit Account No. 24-0025. Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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